

I am appalled at  
Sinclair  
Broadcasting's  
decision to force  
their stations to  
air an anti-Kerry  
documentary days  
before the election.  
This biased  
action--which is  
nothing less than a  
corporate power play  
to influence the  
outcome of the  
presidential  
election--is a clear  
example of the  
dangers of media  
consolidation.

Sinclair uses the  
public airwaves free  
of charge, and is  
obligated by law to  
serve the public  
interest. But when  
large companies  
control the  
airwaves, we get  
more of what's good  
for their bottom  
line and less of the  
fairly presented  
information that's  
essential to  
maintaining our  
democracy.

I ask you to block  
this  
self-interested,  
politically  
motivated move.  
Sinclair cannot be  
allowed to hold  
itself above the  
law--and thereby set  
a bad precedent for  
other broadcasters  
to follow.

Thank you.